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REDS BEATEN ON EVERY FRONT

Rumanian Drive Goes Rapidly Forward--Predict Trouble in China—Congress May Meet in June—California Casuals Land in New York.

NEW YORK, May 3.—With 1613 troops, including two officers and 111 men of the 464th Aero Squadron and casuals from Montana, the cruiser Frederick arrived today from Brest.

The steamship General Goethals from Bordeaux brought 1417 troops, including the 90th, 161st, 487th, 494th and 655th Aero squadrons and the 656th Aero Supply Squadron.

Twenty-one casuals from California returned on the steamship Western Hero from La Pallice.

CONGRESS TO MEET ABOUT JUNE 1

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Intimation that a special session of Congress will be called by President Wilson to meet about June 1 is contained in confidential dispatches received in Washington today from Paris.

It was said in authoritative administration quarters that it was quite possible that if the situation in Paris should develop rapidly the special session might even be called before June 1. In that case, the call would be made by cable.

EVACUATE PETROGRAD BEFORE BOLSHEVIKI

LONDON, May 3.—Reports received from British official sources today indicated the Bolshevists are compelling civilian evacuation of Petrograd and a number of other places in the vicinity. The movement, it is said, is being carried out according to plans announced a year ago, whereby withdrawal was to be made to Moscow and other grain centers to enable more efficient feeding of the population.

General Richardson, commander of the American forces in Northern Russia, has wired American headquarters that he has completed inspection of his men and "found their morale excellent and the situation satisfactory."

CZECHS REJECT PEACE OFFERS

GENEVA, Friday, May 3.—The Rumanian and Czecho-Slovak governments, according to reports received here, have refused to entertain the offer of Bela Kun, the Hungarian foreign minister, to accept territorial conditions, providing that fighting stopped on all fronts. The Rumanians and Czechs continue the march on Budapest.

FRENCH OFFICERS IN RUMANIAN DRIVE

BUDAPEST, May 3. — The Czechs, continuing their powerful offensive between the Hernad and upper Sajo river, have reached Szikszo, it was officially announced today.

The Rumanian army, pushing westward toward Budapest, includes French, Spahi cavalry and artillery, and is led by French officers.

Szikszo is on the Hernad river, ninety-two miles northeast of Budapest. The Sajo and Hernad rivers flow southward about forty miles apart, the latter joining Tisza just below Szikszo. The Sajo, after reaching Banrev, turns abruptly to the eastward, joining the Hernad near Szikszo.

SHORT SERMONS

If you think talk is cheap, ask the telephone company.

We married men are used to petticoat government.

Both Mars and Jno. Barleycorn must take the count.

Freedom of the press don't mean swiping this newspaper.

We husbands always seek an armistice and cough up the indemnity.

Zeb Knott is not a Bull Moose. The bull is tied outside.

Always copper the bet of a political enthusiast.

Charley Chaplin makes being a derned fool pay big money.

Kings are not so bad—if you hold about three of 'em.

Solomon must have had wisdom to fool that many wives.

THE BOOZE PROBLEM IN THIS COUNTY

What is the board of supervisors going to do about liquor licenses for the coming year? Is the country going dry July 1, or will it be wet until national prohibition goes into effect?

The time for filing applications for liquor licenses will be up Monday, which is the first Monday in May. Thus far, it is learned, but five have been filed. Inquiry has developed the fact that some of the others are going to file Monday, but that a number will ask for a ruling from the board concerning the policy to govern the case.

It may be that the board will grant temporary licenses until the questions at issue have been straightened out. The question will probably be brought up before the board Monday and some definite course of action outlined.—Martinez Standard.

SOLDIERS KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

ORLEANS, France, May 3—Three American soldiers were killed and eight injured seriously when an American army motor truck was struck by a railroad train at a grade crossing near La Ferte-St. Aubin, thirteen miles southeast of Orleans, today.

CHINESE PREDICTS FUTURE WARS

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 3.—That the handing over of Kiao Chau to Japan has made the work of the peace conference meaningless and provided the basis of future world wars was the claim today of Yu Tinn Hugh, fellow of sociology at Clark University and leader of Chinese students in the United States.

OGBORN CLUB ORGANIZED YESTERDAY

Richmond Club Members Indorsed Mrs. Marie Ogborn for the Short Term for the City Council—Will Hold Mass Meeting Next Week.

With more than 150 people present, a big majority of them being ladies, the Richmond Club held a political mass meeting in their club house yesterday afternoon, when the question of the candidacy of Mrs. Marie Ogborn for the short term of the city council was discussed.

The meeting was very spirited and entirely in favor of supporting Mrs. Ogborn as their write-in candidate for the short term. After considerable discussion it was decided to organize a Marie Ogborn Club and J. C. McDowell was appointed president and Mrs. E. Growe secretary.

Rev. C. R. Irons addressed the meeting and strongly advocated the indorsement of Mrs. Ogborn for the city council. He urged the good forces of the club and their friends to unite in putting Mrs. Ogborn on the council as she would well represent their ideals for a better city. Rev. Irons stated that the club should boost for not only one woman for the council but for two or three.

Attorney C. D. Horner was present and advised the ladies on technical matters in regard to conducting their campaign for the election of their candidate. A big mass meeting will be called for some day next week in the interests of the campaign. The meeting also adopted a platform derived from President Wilson's "fourteen points," reading as follows:

1.—I am an American.

2.—I believe in Democracy.

3.—I believe in the principle upon which our government is founded; that government should be of the people, by the people, for the people.

4.—I believe that government of the people, by the people, for the people, means government of men and women, by men and women, for men and women.

5.—I believe that women are entitled to the same rights and privileges as men in this democracy of ours.

6.—I believe that it is a form of autocracy to discriminate against a woman for public office.

7.—I believe that autocracy should be given a knock-out blow whenever and wherever it raises its head.

8.—I believe that women are as intelligent as men.

9.—I believe the ideals of women are as high and their motives as pure as those of men.

10.—I believe that women desire as greatly as men to make this world a better place to live in.

11.—I believe that Richmond can be made a better place to live in.

12.—I believe that women's participation in the affairs of Richmond will make it a better place to live in.

13.—I believe in right and justice and fair play.

14.—I believe these things because I am an American, and because I am an American I honor womanhood.

Because I believe these things I shall go to the polls on Monday, May 12, and write in the name of Marie Ogborn for city councilman for the short term.

ASK REDUCTION IN GAS RATES

City Attorney Hall is preparing to enter the coming battle before the State Railroad Commission in an effort to secure a reduction of 10 per cent in the gas rates of the east bay cities. During the war the railroad board granted the gas companies an increase of 10 per cent and efforts are now being made to have this cancelled.

MICKIE SAYS

RED CROSS NURSE HOME FROM FRANCE

Miss Grace C. Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Rogers of 649 Twenty-Second street, returned last night from France after having been nine months overseas while serving with Base Hospital No. 58 and Camp Hospital No. 8 just back of the front line at Rimaucourt and Montigny le Roi.

"At Montigny with Camp Hospital No. 8," said Miss Rogers last night, "It was exceedingly hard work for us to care for the wounded. The trainloads of wounded boys from the Argonne and Chateau Thierry battles were cared for in our hospitals and they were coming thick and fast before the armistice.

"He had to work day and night in the camp hospital, caring for the wounded in the day time and receiving the trainloads, or convoys as they were called, at night. The trainload of wounded, numbering from 200 to 500 a night, coming from the Argonne and Chateau Thierry battles, were all handled by our camp hospital.

"I visited different parts of France on furlough before returning, enjoying very pleasant visits to the pleasure resorts of Nice and La Baule and was in Paris on two occasions. Returning on the Hamburg-American liner Cleveland, renamed the Mobile, we had a splendid trip, although it was very rough. I am on leave of absence now and expect to be mustered out here."

Pioneer of Pinole Died Yesterday

John A[illegible]one Duarte, age 65 years, and for f[illegible]ty-seven years a resident of Pinole died yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clo[illegible] after a short illness. The funeral s[illegible]vices will be held at the family r[illegible]dence at 2 o'clock tomorrow, Be[illegible] Curry having charge of arrangen[illegible]ts. Services will also be held at [illegible]e Oakland crematorium, with t[illegible] Christian Scientists in charge.

The [illegible]edent is survived by a widow, [illegible]s. Katie S. Duarte, and six children [illegible]s follows: John D, with the Am[illegible]can army in France; Mrs. Billie R[illegible]rk of San Francisco, Manuel Fra[illegible] Duarte in Siberia, Mrs. Annie [illegible]ith in San Francisco and Milton [illegible] and Bernice E. Duarte in Pinole.

WHITE OIL DANCE A BIG SUCCESS

Seve[illegible] hundred people turned out last ev[illegible]ing for one of the smartest social [illegible]ents of the season, when the W[illegible]e Oil girls of the Standard Oil Co[illegible]any gave their big dance at East S[illegible]ore Park. The White Oil girls i[illegible] costume acted as hostesses and Ja[illegible] Crow's orchestra filled the hall w[illegible] jazzy strains, to which the crowd[illegible] danced all evening.

The Richmond Bears will play at Berkel[illegible]y this afternoon against the Speed[illegible]ll Juniors on the Golden Gate [illegible]amond.

CONVENTION OF MOOSE TODAY

Richmond Company Putting Up Magnificent Apartment House--Home Builders Erect Fine Homes at Mira Vista for Local People.

With over 300 visiting members of the Moose lodge in town last night, one of the biggest conventions of fraternal orders ever held here is going on. The members of the Moose began arriving yesterday morning from all points of the compass and will be here until tonight, when the convention comes to a close.

Every minute of the time that the Moose are here is to be taken up with important business meetings and social events. Among the delegations arriving up to last night were those from San Francisco, Oakland, Vallejo, Martinez, Stockton, San Jose, Sacramento, Santa Rosa, Petaluma and San Rafael.

Accompanying them were Grand Regent Van der Nalen of the western division and Supreme Officer Monahan of San Francisco. The quarters of the Moose were gaily decorated, as was all Macdonald avenue for the arrival of the delegates and all hotels were filled early in the day.

Dictator Zeb Knott of the Richmond Lodge and the other officials received the visitors in the club rooms during the day and at 8 p. m. the big smoker and open house for Moose members were held. Special entertainment was secured for the occasion and the affair was a smashing success.

At 1:30 this afternoon the Oakland Loyal White drill team will give a public exhibition on Macdonald avenue. At 2 o'clock the Golden Gate Legion will hold a meeting, at which time election of officers will be held. At 3:30 a big class will be enrolled and an hour later the first initiation services will be held.

The big banquet is to be held at 6 o'clock in the Pythian Castle, which is expected to be filled to overflowing. At 8:30 the second degree will be conferred and at 9 o'clock the second part of the initiation ceremonies will be held. Director Zeb Knott requests that we firmly impress upon the public that these doings have nothing whatsoever to do with Senator Hiram Johnson's "Bull" Moose.

Two-Platoon Reports Favorable

Increasingly good reports are coming to the two-platoon committee of the local fire department, which will submit an ordinance to be voted upon Monday, May 12, and which, if carried, will change the local fire department from a single to a double shift department. An addition of seven men will bring the department up to its pre-war personnel, plus but one man and will allow the men to be divided into two shifts, half to work days and half to work nights. The men will carry a lunch to work and will be in the firehouse continually for twelve hours instead of going home for an hour for three times a day as at present.

The new system aranges for two men being on watch at each company every minute of the day. At present when men are at home for meals the companies are undermanned, in fact at times there is but one man on duty to answer alarms. A change to the two-platoon will mean greater fire protection for the people and that is the cheapest fire insurance they can get.

The city council is considering a proposition to grant the Richmond Terminal Company a five-year contract on all stevedoring on the municipal wharf.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

(May 4, 1918.)

Allies wait under heavy hun bombardment for renewal of Picardy attack.

Germans strengthen grip in Baltic provinces by advance against Finns.

Huns creep closer to Amiens and threaten destruction of cathedral city.

Withering Hun artillery fire presages even heavier German smashes.

New draft calls made in the United States to fill up National Army divisions.

Allies worried for fear American aid will come too late.

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WHIPPET TANK COMING WEDNESDAY

Patriotic speeches will be made by many of the Richmond ministers in the churches this morning in behalf of the Victory Liberty Loan. The Richmond pulpit is solidly backing the Victory Loan and will make a final appeal to the citizens this morning for the closing week of the bond campaign.

As announced in the News yesterday, one of the Yankee Whippet tanks will parade and cavort down Macdonald avenue next Wednesday in behalf of the loan. The tank will be here all day and will give some exhibitions of its utility and flexibility. A great deal of interest centered about the tank which was here with the Victory Trophy Train several weeks ago.

Three hundred employes of the Western Pipe and Steel Company, by purchasing Victory Bonds, won for their plant the distinction of being the largest plant in Richmond to subscribe to the man to the Victory Loan. Officials of the company announced yesterday that the subscriptions amounted to $17,000.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION CLOSES

The twenty-first annual convention of the Contra Costa County Sunday School Association closed here yesterday afternoon after two very busy days for the many delegates, in which a considerable amount of business was attended to, officers elected, and Pittsburg selected as the city for the next convention.

Among the business problems taken up yesterday was the election in the morning, Dr. W. W. Giberson of Richmond being elected president of the association and Miss Dora Flournoy of Danville was elected secretary. Addresses were made in the morning by Rev. Chas. H. C. Jackson of Pittsburg and by D. A. McRea of Danville.

At noon a delightful luncheon was served in the basement of the Wesley Methodist Church, where the convention has been in progress. In the afternoon, Sunday school problems were discussed by State Secretary Chas. R. Fisher and talks made by T. H. Dodd of Antioch, Mrs. T. H. Hageman and Miss Flournoy.

Among the delegates to the convention were the following:

Danville—Miss Dora Flournoy and Rev. D. A. McRea of the Presbyterian Church.

Concord—Rev. Dr. Miller of the Presbyterian Church and Rev. Kelsey of the Christian Church.

Martinez—Rev. George Atkinson, W. G. Reed, Mrs. George Atkinson, all of the Congregational Church.

San Francisco—Meda Duley and Judge Wilbur.

Berkeley—Rev. J. G. Rogers, John McRea, Rev. H. Charlton.

San Pablo—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCausland.

Alamo—Mrs. G. Crozier, Ruth Crozier, Alfred Watson, Agnes Stone.

Pinole—Rev. Hugh Baker.

BUILD $15,000 APARTMENT HOUSE

Big Doings at Moose Club Last Night When Several Hundred Delegates Arrived From Other Cities—Banquet Tonight in Pythian Castle.

A fine $15,000 apartment house is the latest building project for Richmond, and only one of a number of big building propositions on the program for the immediate future, business blocks as well as apartment houses and a large number of residences being contemplated.

The Richmond Company has had plans prepared and will begin construction within two weeks on one of the finest apartment houses to be built in this vicinity on a site at the souhwest corner of Twenty-Fourth and Lowell streets at a cost of $15,000, the Richmond Company financing the deal for one of its clients.

The apartment house will be of two stories and will contain ten apartments. It will be a frame structure with a fancy plastered exterior and is the fifth of a series of twenty fine apartment houses which have been or are to be built in this city by the Richmond Company.

The Contra Costa Home Builders report that work will start in a few days on two elegant homes in the Richmond traffic center tract of the Mira Vista district. One of the homes is being built for B. O'Connor of this city at a cost of $7,250, and the other for H. A. Johnston, also of Richmond, at a cost of $7,500. The home builders report several other projects under contemplation.

MARTINEZ MAY ADOPT 6 O'CLOCK CLOSING

An ordinance is to be presented at the regular meeting of the board of city trustees on Monday night requiring all merchants in the city to close their places of business at 6 o'clock. It is understood that the union men indorse he ordinance and are advocating its adoption.—Martinez Gazette.

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MRS. OGBORN'S CANDIDACY

As will be noticed from the news columns on the first page, a meeting yesterday afternoon of women at the Richmond Club formed an Ogborn club and decided to back the candidacy of Mrs. J. C. Ogborn for the writein short term for the position on the City Council made vacant by the death of her husband.

As the News is one of Mrs. Ogborn's very best friends, as it was also of her husband's, and expects to say many good things in her behalf in this campaign, it desires right now before the start is made to clear the decks for action. This is now a cold-blooded political proposition, and we want the whole matter thoroughly understood by both sides to the controversy before we go any farther.

Mrs. Ogborn and some ten or fifteen of her women friends came in and talked this matter over with this scribe some time ago, in an advisory manner, as they did not know at that time what was best to be done. We told these ladies that, owing to our personal friendship for both Mr. and Mrs. Ogborn, if she became a candidate for the place on the Council made vacant by his death, we should support her, but, still having that friendship in view, we advised most strongly against it as being poor policy, for a number of reasons, not necessary to go into here, as they had to do with her personal and financial condition and that is not the public's particular business.

We advised Mrs. Ogborn and her friends just exactly as we would have advised our own sister or dearest friend under the same existing circumstances, and have no reason at this time to think any differently about it. We still think our advice was sound and good. However, the ladies did not coincide in our opinion, and from the very start were determined to place Mrs. Ogborn in the field for this political tryout.

Feeling that a position with at least a livelihood was due to Mrs. Ogborn, because of her husband's services and splendid record, we worked day and night with members of the Council to get an extension of the proposed Community Welfare work and a position tendered her commensurate with the tasks incumbent. We found the councilmen to be of that opinion also, both as to the need of the local uplift work and as to tendering the position to her if she should so desire, and thereupon we took it upon ourself to make such a proffer to the ladies, feeling sure that while it was not exactly official it would be ratified.

The proposition was turned down flat and cold. The ladies would have none of it, some offering one reason and some another, leaving in our mind the most decided opinion that everything else was secondary to them (Mrs. Ogborn's advisors) to their desire and determination to take this opportunity to make an effort to place women on the board of city councilmen.

We may possibly be misjudging these good ladies, and hope we are, but simply can't dope it out any other way. And we have a disagreeable habit of blurting out whatever we believe to be truths, no matter where the chips fall. The trait is not at all diplomatic, but it is at least honest.

Very well, now we are getting the decks cleared of all camouflage, and will present the issue raw, just as it is.

Having declined to consider an offer of a position with nearly three times the salary in it, the ladies have eliminated wholly and totally any and all issues except the plain proposition as to whether the people of Richmond want women on the City Council to conduct the public business, or whether they do not. That is all there is to it. There is nothing else, now, to consider, except, of course, Mrs. Ogborn's ability for such a position, which is conceded. She has that ability.

In the news column also will be found the platform upon which this new political club of women are standing their candidate. It is a very good platform. We indorse every bit of it, and believe most everybody else will, but that does not prove the advisability of the candidacy, nor does it provide for the several thousand votes necessary to elect. In politics as well as in many other things, we have to take things not as we might want them, but as they are. Most men are prejudiced against women holding those kind of positions. It is a prejudice, yes, but it exists and must be reckoned with. There is also a large foreign population. In the countries they came from nothing of this sort is ever heard of. How will they vote? How will the women themselves vote? As a rule women are not near as loyal to each other as men are. Frankly, at this writing we cannot venture an intelligent guess of what the result will be, it is so complicated and has so many angles.

There are also four men in the field for the same position. Kueffer is in the lead at this time, being first in the field; Ells has many friends, and so has Turner, and these friends and different elements are all at work. Mergenthall will not get to first base, and shouldn't. We give Richmond people credit with having an average amount of intelligence.

So far so good. Where are we at? Right here: The issue is, shall Richmond break local precedent and elect women to the city council to conduct the business affairs of the city and its government? Let us accept the issue squarely and make the campaign upon its merits.

There is no legal or other objection to any woman holding such a position, if she can get elected. There is no reason on earth why she should not be elected to such a position, unless it be the old time prejudice against it which most of us grew up under and possess more or less today. Mrs. Ogborn is amply qualified, honest, honorable, intelligent, progressive, educated, experienced and possesses about all the qualifications that any man could possess—except that she is a woman instead of a man.

Nothing can truthfully be said against either her or her candidacy, but doubtless there will be. Politics is never clean, and the injection of femininity into it has failed to remedy that, even a little bit, up to date.

In the count of the ballots Mrs. Ogborn will be either first or second. She will not be third or fourth. If she were a man instead of a woman she would be elected hands down. As it is no one can possibly know or even prophesy except blindly.

She is a most splendid woman and the News certainly wishes her every measure of success in this life, politically, financially, socially and every other way.

Notice to the Public

We desire to give notice to our patrons that three of our commission drivers, Joseph Hirth, Route No. 3; Harry Baxter, Route 6; and Alois Shwartz, Route No. 7, have left our employ and will hereafter not gather laundry for the Home Laundry Company as we understand that they have affilated with another laundry concern.

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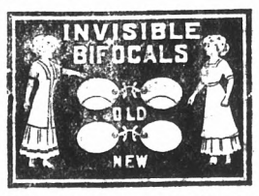

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We have 4 lots on Chanslor avenue near ?? St.—$1000 buys the 2—a real bargain.

7-room house on 1 lot—a good home for $2100—one-half cash—only 5 blocks from Macdonald avenue and 6th street.

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Good six-room modern house, garage, lot 31x140, 24 ft. alley, $3,700; $700 cash, $35 per mo.

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FOR RENT—3-room apartment, furnished, garage if wanted. The Richmond Company, 2234 Macdonald avenue. Phone Richmond No. 444. m7tf

THE BLACKSMITH SHOP of F. E. Reynolds has been moved from 1?6 Railroad avenue, Point Richmond to Eighth street, near Macdonald, former location of G. W. ... m13t24

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4-Room Modern Cottage, furnished; furniture worth $800, all to go for $2,750, half cash, balance $25 per month. House alone worth the price.

5-Room Modern Cottage, auto drive, will sell either furnished or unfurnished. This house has all modern conveniences. Hardwood floors, breakfast nook, etc. Price unfurnished $3,500, $1,000 cash; furnished $4,000, $1,500 cash. Over $?00 worth of new furniture. A good location and a good buy. Easy terms on unpaid bal.

4-Room Modern Cottage, lot 52 by 120 feet, in one block San Pablo avenue, El Cerrito. A snap at $2,500, $500 cash. Balance $25 per month.

If you have or want a bargain it will pay you to see us.

LESTER & WALKER.

WANTED—To rent an auto truck; one ton or one ton and one-half; Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. Phone Oakland 12000. Local 66. tf

FOR SALE—A five-room cottage, furnished or unfurnished; 10 minutes walk from Standard Oil. No payment required. Pay like rent. Postoffice box 404, Point Richmond. m1t6

WANTED—Employment by a young man of 21. Address 452 8th st. m2t2

WANTED—We have a good position for a responsible returned soldier; one with "pep" can make good money, and it will increase right along. Address Box 100 The News. a29-tf

JUST ARRIVED

Very classy line of suit cases, hand bags, grips and steamer trunks. Glad to show goods and quote prices.

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3rd and Macdonald
The Home Furnisher

... fice table, two good bicycles.

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3rd and Macdonald Ave.

WANTED TO RENT—A neat bungalow by man and wife, if suited will be permanent tenants; something on the east or north side preferred. Address Box 70, News office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

I have 160 acres of good land, clear of incumbrance, in Red Lake County, Minnesota, six miles from the county seat, in the great wheat belt; will sell for cash or trade for something good around the bay. Address Box 80, The Daily News.

SELL OR TRADE PHONE 215

Oil water heater, cash register, hydraulic barber chair, sewing machine in o. k. condition, long of-

FOR SALE—Top buggy, cart and buggy harness. Call at 531 10th St. a26-1m

DO YOU WISH TO GO TO BUSINESS COLLEGE?—A scholarship at Heald's (Oakland) which can not be used because of illness may be purchased at a sacrifice. See Mr. Boardman at the News office. tf

GET AN EDUCATION and save money—A scholarship in business college can be purchased at big discount. Apply at News office.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN. ONLY $1250. FOUR-ROOM HOUSE CLOSE TO CAR LINE, SEWER CONNECTION, SIDEWALK, WATER, ETC. ONLY $100 DOWN, BALANCE LIKE RENT. GREATEST BARGAIN IN TOWN. HOUSE FURNISHED EXCEPT FOR DISHES AND BEDDING. PHONE RICHMOND 921. a30-tf

NOTICE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

In accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the City of Richmond, and in pursuance of that certain Resolution No. 1298, passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond on the 24th day of March, 1919, providing for a municipal election to be held in the City of Richmond on the 12th day of May, 1919, to which resolution reference is hereby especially made, notice is herby given that a municipal election in and for the City of Richmond, will be held on Monday, the 12th day of May, 1919, for the election of three (3) Councilmen to hold office for a period of six (6) years from and after the First day of July, 1919; and also for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the City of Richmond, the question of the adoption or rejection of an ordinance proposed and submitted by the Council of the City of Richmond providing for the establishment of a two platoon system in the Fire Department of the City of Richmond.

For the purpose of said municipal election, all election precincts in said City of Richmond which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, except precincts number 1 and number 28, shall be consolidated into 15 consolidated election precincts, and said election precincts number 1 and number 28 shall be known as Special Election Precincts.

The location of the polling places and the names of the election officers for each of such polling places shall be as follows, to-wit:

Precinct Number 1, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, is hereby established and created a special election precinct for the purpose of this election, to be known as "Special Election Precinct No. 1".

Polling Place: Winehaven Fire Hall, Winehaven. Inspector: Reginald J. Jones. Judge: Charles C. Weise. Clerks: Mrs. Lorena Wilson, Mrs. Beulah Jones.

Precincts numbers 2 and 3, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 2".

Polling Place: Old City Hall, 210 Washington Avenue. Inspector: A. C. Trautvetter. Judge: H. G. Stidham. Clerks: Mrs. Anna B. Bowen, Mrs. Nettie B. Grover.

Precincts numbers 4 and 6, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 3".

Polling Place: Store-room, 107 Washington Ave. Inspector: Alexander N. Hauser. Judge: Vernon F. Garrison. Clerks: Mrs. Blanche Fenner, Mrs. Neta Neville.

Precincts numbers 5 and 7, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 4".

Polling Place: Store-room, 7 West Richmond Ave. Inspector: J. B. Willis. Judge: E. L. Ellsworth. Clerks: Mrs. Katherine L. Monroe, Mrs. Grace Black.

Precincts numbers 8 and 9, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 5".

Polling Place: Store-room, Cor. 10th & Ohio Streets. Inspector: D. W. Calfee. Judge: W. H. Conn. Clerks: Miss Grace Curry, Mrs. Elfreeda H. Scott.

Precincts numbers 10 and 11, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 6".

Polling Place: Gardner's Real Estate Office, 1524 Macdonald Ave. Inspector: Mrs. Katherine H. Smith. Judge: Isaac Wolfe. Clerks: Tobias W. Adams, Mrs. Bettie S. Poage.

Precincts numbers 12 and 13, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 7".

Polling Place: Lincoln School, 227-10th Street. Inspector: Thomas A. Boyer. Judge: James E. Cryan. Clerks: Mrs. Marie L. Ogborn, Mrs. Mabelle Tuller.

Precincts numbers 14 and 15, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 8".

Polling Place: Fire House No. 2, 235-5th Street. Inspector: Walter D. Rihn. Judge: Charles Kaiser. Clerks: Mrs. Anna I. Theis, Mrs. Ethel Wells.

Precincts numbers 16 and 17, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 9".

Polling Place: Caron's Garage, 341-1st Street. Inspector: J. Harry Plate. Judge: Clyde E. Parker. Clerks: Miss Irma Dearborn, Miss Jean McLean.

Precincts numbers 18 and 19, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 10".

Polling Place: Taxpayers Association Bldg., 322-6th Street. Inspector: A. C. Burdick. Judge: O. L. Dietrich. Clerks: Mrs. Bertha M. Smedley, Miss Ethel M. Griffins.

Precincts numbers 20 and 21, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 11".

Polling Place: Mt. Diablo Garage, 1121 Macdonald Ave. Inspector: E. E. Grow. Judge: Louis Keser. Clerks: Mrs. Edna L. Crane, Mrs. Mary A. Bailey.

Precincts numbers 22 and 23, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 12".

Polling Place: Johnston's Garage, 9th & Pennsylvania. Inspector: L. B. Barber. Judge: George Landrebe. Clerks: Mrs. Sarah McGinty, Mrs. Josephine E. Washburn.

Precincts numbers 24 and 25, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 13".

Polling Place: Black's Garage, 767-8th Street. Inspector: Orville J. Ripley. Judge: Frank P. Allen. Clerks: Mrs. Mary J. Cotton, Mrs. Elizabeth Barbieri.

Precincts numbers 26 and 27, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No. 14".

Polling Place: Vance's Garage, 1829 Clinton Ave. Inspector: Wm. C. Henderson. Judge: H. E. Somerville. Clerks: Mrs. Otilia B. Felter, Mrs. Mae R. Keltz.

Precinct number 28, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, is hereby established and created a special election precinct for the purpose of this election, and shall be known as "Special Election Precinct No. 15".

Polling Place: Fire House No. 3, 19th & Barrett Ave. Inspector: E. M. Betts. Judge: R. A. Spencer. Clerks: Mrs. Gladys M. Davis, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Gist.

Precincts numbers 29 and 30, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No 16".

Polling Place: City Hall, 2555 Nevin Avenue. Inspector: S. G. Spagnoli. Judge: Robt. M. Knowlton. Clerks: Mrs. Jennie M. Conwell, Mrs. May H. Donnelly.

Precincts numbers 31 and 32, which existed for the holding of the last preceding general state election, shall be consolidated and known as "Consolidated Election Precinct No 17".

Polling Place: Fire House No. 4, 3506 Cutting Blvd. Inspector: Ben Boorman. Judge: Harry Ellis. Clerks: Mrs. Jessie Lincoln, Mrs. Katie Munday.

The polls for such election shall be open at six (6) o'clock A. M. of the morning of said day of election, and shall be kept open until seven (7) o'clock P. M. in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

The names of all candidates for Councilmen, of which each qualified elector of the City of Richmond, State of California, may vote for only three (3), are as follows:

1. William L. Lane,
2. Michael H. Carey,
3. Richard E. Slattery,
4. Marmion A. Hays,
5. William W. Scott,
6. George W. Cushing.

By Order of the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California.

A. C. FARIS,
City Clerk.
(SEAL)

May 4-6-7-8-9-10-11

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NUMBER 335—2

A Resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond Declaring Its Intention to Improve South Street, And Determining That Serial Bonds shall be Issued to Represent the Expenses of Such Work or Improvement.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as follows:

That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond, to order the following work to be done and improvement to be made in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to-wit:

That SOUTH STREET, from the southwesterly line of Walls Addition to Pullman Avenue, be graded to the official lines and grades, paved with a five (5) inch cement concrete base and a two-coat wearing surface of asphalt and broken rock.

That curbs, gutters, sidewalks, wing-wall and portal of cement concrete, and curb bars of galvanized steel, be constructed thereon.

That all of said work shall be done at the places and in the manner and of the materials as specified, set forth and shown on the plans and specifications for said work adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, by its Resolution Adopting Plans and Specifications No. 335—2, passed and adopted by said Council at an adjourned meeting thereof on the 2nd day of May, 1919, and now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference to said plans and specifications being hereby especially made.

Excepting however, from all the afore-described work such portion as is required by law to be kept in order and repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon; and also excepting from all the afore-described work any portion thereof already done to the official lines and grades and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications herein mentioned.

That said Council under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the expenses of said proposed improvement, which said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and a bond shall be issued to represent each assessment of twenty-five (25) dollars or more remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said Council upon an appeal, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by a coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest is paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 19th day of May, 1919, at the hour of 9 o'clock P. M., at the Council Chambers of the Council of the City of Richmond at No. 2555 Nevin Avenue, in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, are hereby fixed as the day, hour and place, when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed work or improvement, may appear before the said Council of the City of Richmond and show cause why said proposed improvement should not be carried out in accordance with this resolution.

The Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in the said City of Richmond, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published, and the Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published by two insertions in said newspaper, and the Superintendent of Streets is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted, notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and form required by law.

All of the herein proposed work shall be done in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, designated the "Improvement Act of 1911," approved April 7, 1911, and amendments thereto.

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of intention was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at an adjourned meeting thereof, held on the 2nd day of May, 1919, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen Long, Gerlach, Watson, Garrard, Picton, Hartnett and Lane.

Noes: None.

Absent: Councilman Fernald.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond, this 3rd day of May, 1919.

A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
(SEAL)

Approved:
W. L. LANE, Mayor.

May 4-6

Among the Churches

Wesley Methodist Church.

Corner of 9th and Nevin. C. E. Irons pastor. Today the Centenary Minute Men will devote their time, in whatever church they may speak, to the Liberty Loan drive. Our people are loyal and will respond to the best of their ability. We must put this loan over the top, and the people of Richmond will not be the last to reach their quota. Our Sunday school meets at 9:45 a. m., W. C. Roberts is the superintendent. If you are not already in the habit of attending Sunday school, begin today. Junior Epworth League will meet today at 5:30 p. m. Note the change in the time of meeting. Epworth League meets at 6:30 p. m. All are welcome to meet with the league. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject, "Surprised People." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Something Different." Preceding the evening service the matter of our primary election and also our city election on the 12th inst. will be considered.

First Presbyterian Church.

Twelfth and Bissell. Rev. Henry K. Sanborne, minister. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, A. H. Poage, superintendent. 11:00 a. m., morning worship, subject, "Preciousness of Believing." Anthem, "While the Earth Remaineth." Rev. Edward Smith of Berkeley will occupy the pulpit morning and evening. 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor, Senior and Intermediate, topic, "Our Relation to God Serving." 7:30 p. m., evening worship, subject of sermon, "Why the Gospel Effects People so Differently." Anthem, "Awake O Zion." Mrs. C. S. Gibson, choir director. Miss Vivian Millington, organist. 7:30 p. m., Monday meeting of the board of trustees. Midweek prayer and Bible study Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. The session will have charge of this meeting. W. W. Norton, leader.

First Methodist Church.

10:00 a. m., Sunday school, all young and older people invited. 11:00 a. m., morning worship, theme of sermon, "The Church and the New Era." This is a topic that will interest you all. 6:45 p. m., Epworth League, Miss Thelma Stockwell, leader. 7:45 p. m., evening worship, sermon topic, "The Testing Sword." If you are not connected with another church in town remember you are most cordially invited to unite with us in this homey church where you get a most hearty welcome. Come and bring a friend. J. C. Gillette, minister.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran.

Services (English) at 11 o'clock. Sermon, "Do We Know Ourselves?" Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Lesson: "Luke 24:1335. Evangelical League holds its meeting on Thursday evening 7:30. A. Bahnsen, pastor.

Episcopal Church.

Sunday school in Bank hall at 9:30 and service at 7:45 p. m. Children's Sunday school rally in St. Paul's church, Oakland, 3 o'clock. In Trinity church Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Monday, Trinity Girls' club meets in the parlor of the church at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, the Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Tuller, 1116 Bissell avenue, 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, laymen's dinner in St. Paul's parish hall at 6:30 p. m., to be followed by speeches given by leading laymen church worker in the army. The Junior Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Fenix, 3:30 p. m. Thursday, Trinity Juniors will meet in the church parlors at 3:30 p. m. The spring meeting of Convocation week will be held in St. John's parish, Oakland, commencing at 10 a. m. Delegates are asked to attend and all other parishioners who can do so. H. Blake Hadlow, rector.

First Christian Church.

Sixth street and Bissell avenue. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, pastor. Mrs. Taylor Johnston, choir director. Miss Vera Wyatt, organist. Evening, "The Butterfly Girl and the Bee." This is the first of a number of Sunday evening talks to girls. Two special musical numbers are to be rendered Sunday evening by three of the teachers in the Richmond schools, Mrs. Louise Robinson, Miss Mabel Woodman and Miss Marguerite Knoble. A very special invitation is extended to all High school and Grammar grade girls. Morning, "The Transforming Power of Visions." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., S. E. Turner, superintendent. The regular Christian Endeavor meetings. Organ selections preceding the regular evening service between 7:30 and 7:45 o'clock. Come early for these selections. As a slight innovation, during these talks to girls and young women, it is expected that the regular ushers will be assisted by a half dozen young women. A welcome awaits you.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

Services at Richmond club, Nevin avenue at Twelfth street, Sunday, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Christian Science reading room, Pillow building, Macdonald avenue at Seventh street, open afternoons, except Sundays, from 2 to 4 and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9. The public is cordially invited to attend our services and visit our reading room.

St. Mark's Catholic Church.

Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor; Rev. M. M. Laughlin, assistant. Bissell avenue and Tenth street. Services this morning at 7, 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school under direction of Presentation Sisters immediately at the 8:30 o'clock mass. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

Our Lady of Mercy Church.

Rev. Father J. L. Collins, pastor. Richmond avenue. Services this morning at 7 and 9 a. m.

Stege Presbyterian.

Special services at 8 p. m. Speaker, Mr. Peterson.

There was an awful bunch of horny-handed sons of toil at the meeting of the 2700 Club last night and they lined up strong for Lane and Carey for the regular and Kueffer for the write-in, leaving the third regular open, but from what we can gather, we judge that Scott is going to get a lot of votes among them.

LOST—A Champ Wrist Watch lost on Lincoln School ground, Thursday. Finder please leave at News office.

At Last!

There are few cyclists who, when compelled to execute repairs to inner tubes by the roadside, have not longed for unpuncturable tires. This desideratum now seems to have become an accomplished fact in Sweden, where the shortage of rubber has caused great efforts to be made to find a satisfactory substitute for the pneumatic tire. The new device consists of a thin strip of hardened steel supported on the rim by springs, the combination being said to give results comparable with those obtained by the use of rubber. Skidding is prevented by the sharp edge of the steel tread, while such tires are, of course, quite unpuncturable. Whether the new device will survive when rubber again becomes plentiful is perhaps doubtful, but as a war-time measure it has proved very useful.—From Chambers' Journal.

The Sugar Shortage.

Colonel House at a Paris reception was talking about the French sugar shortage.

"The French sugar ration is a pound a month—if you get it," he said. "Usually you don't get it, and then you buy your sugar clandestinely. The price is 80 or 90 cents a pound.

"After enduring the French sugar shortage for a month or two," the colonel ended, "you think very longingly of the peace-time plenty soon to come, and you appreciate as never before the wonderful beauty of the dear old hymn, 'In the sweet by-and-by.'"

Reading by Ear.

A new invention for the blind enables them to read with their ears. It is a machine called an octophone, by means of which flashes of light from the letters as they are printed cause certain sounds, easily distinguishable by the initiated.

The sounds vary with the shapes of the letters, and very high resistance telephones trasmit these to the ears of the blind person. "reading" with highly satisfactory results.

$10 Prize Calif. Baby Contest.

Mail or bring you baby's photo to Maxwell Hardware Co., 14th and Washington sts., on or before Monday, May 5th. Babies to be judged from photos only.—Advt.

Local Laconics of Richmondites

Mrs. W. E. Foster of Petaluma is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. R. I. Wood of 547 Twentieth street.

The Richmond Club will hold an important meeting on Monday afternoon, when a considerable amount of business will come before the club. This is the first meeting in two weeks and election matters will be taken up.

The fire department was called out at 11 o'clock yesterday morning to 33 Nevada avenue, where an overheated flue in a home occupied by J. P. Smith took fire. The blaze was quickly extinguished with small loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gonner and daughter are in Richmond for a short visit with friends.

The East Bay Patrons' Association will entertain the members of the Miramar, Pinole and Acantha chapters of the Eastern Star at the Richmond Club on May 17, all members of the O. E. S. being invited to attend. An entertainment with music is being prepared.

Captain B. E. Knapp, nephew of C. S. Gibson of 429 Eleventh street, is spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gibson. This is Captain Knapp's first visit in Richmond in two years, he having left here two years ago to join the marines and has since been stationed on the island of Guam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Faber of 1924 Nevin avenue will motor to San Jose this morning.

Councilman and Mrs J. G. Gerlach returned home yesterday in their machine after spending three weeks in Los Angeles in the interest of Councilman Gerlach's health, which is now greatly improved. They had a fine trip on the way home, gathering an abundance of lemons, oranges and wild flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. X Tucker of 425 Eleventh street are entertaining friends from San Jose over the week-end.

Mrs. K. Smith has as her guest over the week-end Mrs F. P. Smith of Visalia.

Lieutenant Walter Smallwood expects to leave today for Southern California for a short visit, after visiting with his parents here. He is on furlough from Camp Lewis and on his return expects to be discharged.

The local agents of the Sherman-Clay Piano Company had a busy day yesterday delivering two new pianos to residents on the north side of town.

William Boese, the Pullman upholsterer, had a birthday yesterday and properly celebrated by investing in a new Ford.

Charles J. Crary, chairman of the Richmond Victory Loan committee, was in San Francisco yesterday as a guest on board the battleship Oregon witnessing the great aerial sham battle held in the interest of the loan campaign.

Civil suits were filed at Martinez yesterday as follows: H. Fredericks against Merton Seery for $90, alleged rentals due; James Vanderswiep against J. H. Hammell for $75 alleged due on a personal loan.

The food sale of the ladies of the Trinity Episcopal Church, which was held in the Eberhart stationery store yesterday, was a success, a goodly sum being realized from the sale.

Mrs. James Corcoran, former Richmond resident but lately of Vallejo and San Francisco, has returned to this city to reside.

Levi Boswell, chairman of the local exemption board, received notice yesterday that F. A. Gelbmann of Richmond has been discharged from the 364th Infantry.

Miss Frieda Moyle was the honoree of a delightful birthday party at her home at 441 Santa Fe on Friday evening, many of her young friends being present. Music and games were enjoyed by those present, including Misses Ida Bradley, Thelma Stockwell, Wilma Miller, Reta Arnold, Cora Christensen of Berkeley, Edith Delp, Goldie Gnaga, Inez Goble, Carol Ford, Mrs. I. E. Bonham, Mrs. A. B. Miller, Mrs. Fred Gebhart, Mr. and Mrs. George Casey, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moyle and Eugene Severin and Elton Lyman of San Francisco.

Mike Carey led a bunch of big husky steamfitters in here last night and took possession. Gee, whiz! What is a fellow to do when a big-fisted bunch like that gets started? We promised to vote for Carey, but was going to do that anyhow.

A citizen called our attention last night to the fact that there were three bright stars just over the moon forming a perfect letter "V." He said that was for the Victory Loan, and we would not be surprised if that was just what it was about.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Morgan have been away visiting their friends, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Coons, at Elk Grove.

The News presents you a good paper this morning, with eight pages containing all there is worth while, news, politics, comment, editorial, comic section and all the locals of the town. Also a good line of advertisements from live business men which you will find instructive and interesting, all full of good bargains.

Social Events at Christian Church

The First Christian Church was the scene of a very happy gathering yesterday afternoon, when the girls of the "H. H. Class" entertained their mothers in the church parlors, each girl responding with a quotation on "Mother." The program:

Piano solos by Helen Clark and Maud Muller; vocal numbers by Nadine Honeywell and Maurine Boone; reading, "A Happy Ending in Real Life," by Katharine Barley; piano duet by Maurine Boone and Ruth Ferguson.

The teacher of the class, Mrs. Crandall, gave a short talk on "The Aims of the Class," and Mrs. Boone, Mrs. Honeywell and Mrs. Andrews responded very happily with words of appreciation and encouragement. At the close of the program refreshments were served.

The mothers attending were Mrs. Muller, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Moore, the two Mrs. Barley, Mrs. Honeywell, Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Boone. The members of the class present were Ruth Andrews, Charlotte Page, Helen Moore, Ruth Weston, Ruth Ferguson, Addie Ford, Davilla Theis, Helen Clark, Maurine Boone, Nadine Honeywell, Maud Muller, Gayle Estes, Katherine Barley.

2700 Club Held Business Meeting

An unusually large number of members of the 2700 Club attended the meeting last night in the Labor Temple when matters pertaining to the coming election were gone over. The campaign and publicity committees reported good progress as to the candidacy of the club's candidates, William L. Lane and M. H. Carey and E. H. Kuefler the write-in candidate for short term. Precinct workers were assigned to districts so that the entire labor vote will be polled. J. C. Thornton was given a vote of thanks for his candidacy. Another meeting will be held Thursday evening at 7:30.

VAUDEVILLE PROGRAM AT RICHMOND THEATRE

Richards and Summers, premier singing artists and comedians who have just completed a successful tour on the Orpheum circuit, will be headliners at the Richmond theatre today on a bill which promises to eclipse anything in the vaudeville line now showing in the bay cities. The star act is certain to be a winner, having been received with a big "hand" all over the country.

Other acts in the big show will be Miss Sareni Inman, a pretty girl **in a character comedy role; Baker** and Baker, colored comedians, introducing the famous "zubula" dance; the Valenco Duo, noted Spanish dancers, and Arthur Mack, the colored parson, in a high class act. The picture program will include Rosemary Theby in "Love's **Pay Day" and a Pathe News.**

Narrow Escape Of Martinez Boy

MARTINEZ, Cal., May 3.—George Gibson, 12 years old, is recovering here today from his narrow escape from death when he got stuck in the mud off Shell pier while attempting to wade ashore from his launch.

The boy sank in the mud up to his waist and was held a prisoner for two hours. His cries for help were finally heard by Billy Nulty and Bannard Hansen, two other boys, who, with the aid of boards, managed to release him.

Somebody cut out our editorial upon that idiotic pamphlet mailed to us a few days ago, and mailed it back in here, writing on a piece of paper pinned to it, "This means you." Oh, it does, does it? Well, you contemptible coward, why don't you sign your name to anything you write? Drop around in here and say it to our face, like a man, and see what happens to you.

$10 Prize Calif. Baby Contest.
Mail or bring you baby's photo to Maxwell Hardware Co., 14th and Washington sts., on or before Monday, May 5th. Babies to be judged from photos only.—Advt.

Cornells's Comment on Merchandizing

To those who wish to be well-dressed and at the same time do their bit by subscribing for Victory Bonds, Garfinkle offers a solution. For the month of May, you can secure your needed summer garments, coats, suits, furs, etc., and make the first payment the succeeding month. Surely nothing *could* be fairer than that. Garfinkle has alluring clothes at exceptional saving, and, don't forget (something you do not get elsewhere), all alterations free of charge.

THE FASHION

Keen observation of the trend of the market gives the Fashion the foresight which allows them to make price reductions on new goods before the larger cities. A man with his ear close to the ground gets in touch with advance movements quickest.

The Fashion employs the highest priced makers and trimmers in their millinery department.

Be early Monday if you wish first choice.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished 2-room apartment $16 a month. 107 W. Richmond avenue.

Epidemic Over at Bay Poin

County Health Officer Chas. R Blake of Richmond will submit his monthly report to the board of supervisors at the meeting at Martinez on Monday. In his report Dr Blake states that the recent epidemic of scarlet fever and diphtheria at Bay Point and Cowell has subsided with only one death from the latter disease. The health officer ordered a Concord dairyman to clean up his place at once, as it was reported from the sheriff's office that a diphtheria case was traced to the dairy.

SUGAR VS. POWDER.

Warren H. McBryde, formerly assistant superintendent at Hercules, has resigned to accept a position with the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company as assistant to the general manager. Mr McBryde takes with him the best wishes for success in this new work from all his associates at the Hercules plant.—Pinole Times.

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They could hardly have come at a more opportune time for most women are on the lookout just now for good quality ginghams, from which to fashion summer garments for themselves and the children. This collection of worth while ginghams embraces all wanted colorings and in addition it offers many effective new plaid patterns; 27 inches wide at..... 25c and 30c a yard

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This offering of fine quality women's and children's Muslin and Knit Undergarments represents a notable purchase made many months ago. The union suits and vests for women are carefully made with attractive band tops, while the children's garments have either short or long sleeves as desired. Each garment assures its wearer of the maximum in comfort and wearing quality. A full range of sizes.

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This shoe sale is of extraordinary importance to the people of Richmond. $12,000.00 worth of splendid Queen Quality and other fine makes of footwear to be radically reduced in price for ten days selling. Shoes are rapidly advancing in price. A recent shortening of the hours of labor—an advance in wages to shoe factory workers—the higher cost of materials—and the tremendous European demand for American made footwear, are sending prices soaring.

Shoe prices for the coming Fall will be higher than ever before.

Buy fine shoes now at sale prices that practically halve the price you will be compelled to pay later.

Note—Every pair of shoes in the sale is absolutely guaranteed for quality and satisfactory service. We have been in business only six months—naturally every pair is of recent purchase, and in consequence, up-to-date.

Not broken sizes—sizes for everyone.

The public was well informed in advance, about the rise in the price of foodstuffs; we propose to advise likewise about a coming rise in the price of shoes.

No. 1. Women's 10.00 values.....$7.95
No. 2. Women's $9.00 values.....$6.95
No. 3. Women's $8.00 values.....$5.95
No. 4. Women's Broken Lines $7.00, $8.00, $9.00 values.....$4.95
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